# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
# PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS
# LOK SABHA

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PETROL PUMPS/LPG AGENCIES IN THE COUNTRY
BHARTRUHARI MAHTAB;DAGGUBATI RAMANAIDU;GIRDHARI LAL BHARGAV;JAGMEET SINGH BRAR;KOLUR BASAVANAGOUD;PUSP JAIN;RADHA MOHAN SINGH;SUSHIL KUMAR SAMBHAJIRAO SHINDE;T. GOVINDAN;VINOD KHANNA

**Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:**

(a): the number of petrol pumps and LPG agencies in the country as on date alongwith the total quantum of LPG being supplied to them every month;

(b): whether the Government propose to increase petrol pumps and LPG agencies in the country during the next two years; and

(c): if so, the details thereof, State-wise?

## Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS (SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR)

(a) to (c): As on 1.10.2000, there were 17925 retail outlet dealerships and 6330 LPG distributorshipsin operation all over the country. The total average quantity of LPG being supplied to the LPG distributorships all over the country per month is around526.543 TMT. In order to meet the increased demand, in addition to the locations pending from the previous marketing plans, 927 retail outlets and 2078 LPG distributorships have been included in the marketing plans 1996-98 all over the country. More dealerships/distributorships will be set up on the basis of feasibility surveys.